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BIG DRIVE BY ALLIES

Attack German Line on West Front.

LOSSES ARE TERRIBLE

Anglo-French Forces Take 20,000 Unwounded Prisoners.

London, Sept. 27.—Twenty thousand unwounded German prisoners and dead and wounded on both sides, in numbers of which as yet there is no estimate, is the toll taken in the first two days' drive of the Anglo-French forces, who have begun a great offensive movement against the German entrenchments along the line in the western war zone, which extends from the North sea to the Swiss frontier.

Two distinctive operations are under way, one to the north of Arras and the other in the Champagne region, while there has been an incessant bombardment along almost the entire front.

At the same time British warships and French and Belgian batteries heavily bombarded the German positions on the coast between Zeebrugge and Nieuport.

Both the British and French have been successful, carrying trenches extending over a distance of twenty miles and a depth varying up to two and a half miles, and it is officially reported both from Paris and London, that the advance is still being continued, the ground gained having in a large measure been held and consolidated.

The Berlin war office admits the retirement of the German forces at various points, but minimizes the result of the engagements.

In addition to having captured Souchez, a much disputed point of vantage, the French have succeeded in forcing a passage of the great series of trenches and fortifications in Champagne between Auberive and Ville-sur-Tourbe, driving the Germans to the second line of trenches, two or three miles to the rear. This offensive is still in progress. The British gains have been made to the north of Arras. They have taken the town of Loos and the quarries northwest of Hulluch and have compelled the Germans to draw on their reserves to check the advance.

For the time being the dramatic development of events in the west have overshadowed those in the eastern theater, where the Russians have stayed the progress of the Austro-Germans at many points and have apparently succeeded in getting themselves well in hand for further offensive and defensive operations.

GUN FIRE IS TREMENDOUS

Constant Stream of Wounded Moving to the Rear.

Amsterdam, Sept. 27.—The Telegraaf's Roulers correspondent sends to his paper a dispatch describing the latest activities on the western front. The dispatch says:

"War again in all its horrors! There is heavy fighting in Flanders. The gun fire is tremendous. Wagons with all kinds of supplies thunder along the roads.

"There is a fearful bringing back of wounded. The trains bring them to Roulers in crowds and automobiles rush them to villages close behind the lines. Cortemark has all its available buildings filled and more are constantly arriving in wagons, lying on straw which has been hastily improvised into beds. The soldiers speak of the scenes at the front with shudders. Great events are every where expected."

TRUST FUNDS ARE GROWING

Those of Minnesota Largest of Any State in the Union.

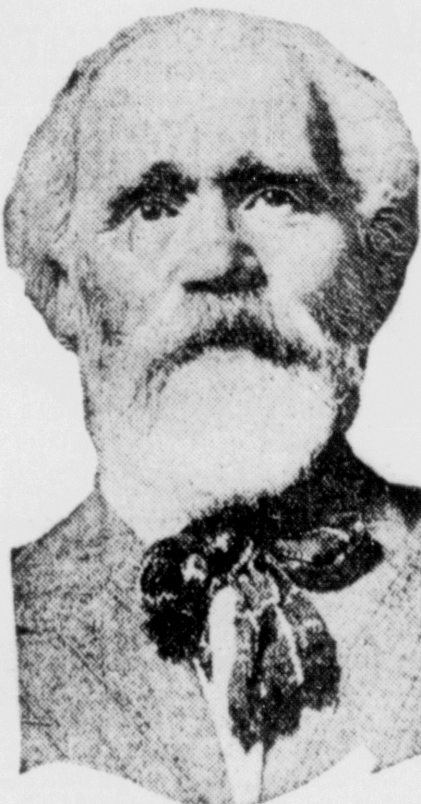
St. Paul, Sept. 27.—Of the several sources from which the trust funds of Minnesota, now the largest of any state in the Union, derive their revenue that from the sale of lands is the most profitable. The sale of state timber comes next and in order follows royalties from state owned iron ore and profits from the sale of bonds.

The trust funds of the state of Minnesota have reached a grand total of \$34,474,905.22 and they are still climbing. Of this grand total the sale of agricultural lands furnished \$21,375,797, sale of state timber \$8,750,593.35, iron ore royalties \$3,984,955.98 and profits from the sale of bonds, \$363,617.94.

The total trust fund earnings for the year were \$1,029,904.16.

JAMES KEIR HARDIE.

Well Known British Labor Leader Dead.



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JAMES KEIR HARDIE DEAD

Prominent in British Labor and Political Circles.

London, Sept. 27.—James Keir Hardie, a labor member of parliament and the leader of the peace element in the British Socialist party, died of pneumonia in a nursing home at Glasgow. He was born in Scotland, Aug. 15, 1856, and worked underground as a pitboy and pitman from the age of seven years until he was twenty-four. He early became well known as a temperance speaker, but eventually became prominent in labor and other advanced democratic and socialistic circles.

Keir Hardie became president of the British Miners' union and in 1882 entered the journalistic field. He was chairman of the Independent Labor party from 1893 to 1900 and led the Labor party in the house of commons from 1906 to 1908. In 1900 he was elected to represent Merthyr Tydfel.

In August, 1912, he visited the United States on the occasion of the marriage of his son, Keir Hardie, Jr., and Miss Marion Stoddard at Brooklyn.

KAISER DISCIPLINES AIDES AT VILNA.
London, Sept. 27.—Owing to the failure of the Teutonic forces to surround the Russian army at Vilna there have been many changes in the German commanders, says a dispatch from Petrograd to Reuter's Telegram company.
Even General von Eichhorn's name is mentioned as being among those in disfavor, according to statements made by German prisoners.

YAKUIS FIRE RAILWAY CAR

Sixty Men, Women and Children Perish in Flames.

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 27.—Eighty passengers of a Southern Pacific Mexican train were thrown into a car containing hay and the car set on fire by a band of Yaqui Indians Friday near Torres, Sonora, according to radio advices received here from Hermosillo via Guaymas.

Only twenty passengers have been accounted for, the others having been burned to death.

The Indians, according to the report, numbered about sixty and were deserters from one of the Mexican factional armies. They first derailed the train, which was running from Campo Verde to Torres, after which they placed the passengers, most of whom were women and children, in the hay car and applied the torch.

BRITISH HOLDING TRENCHES

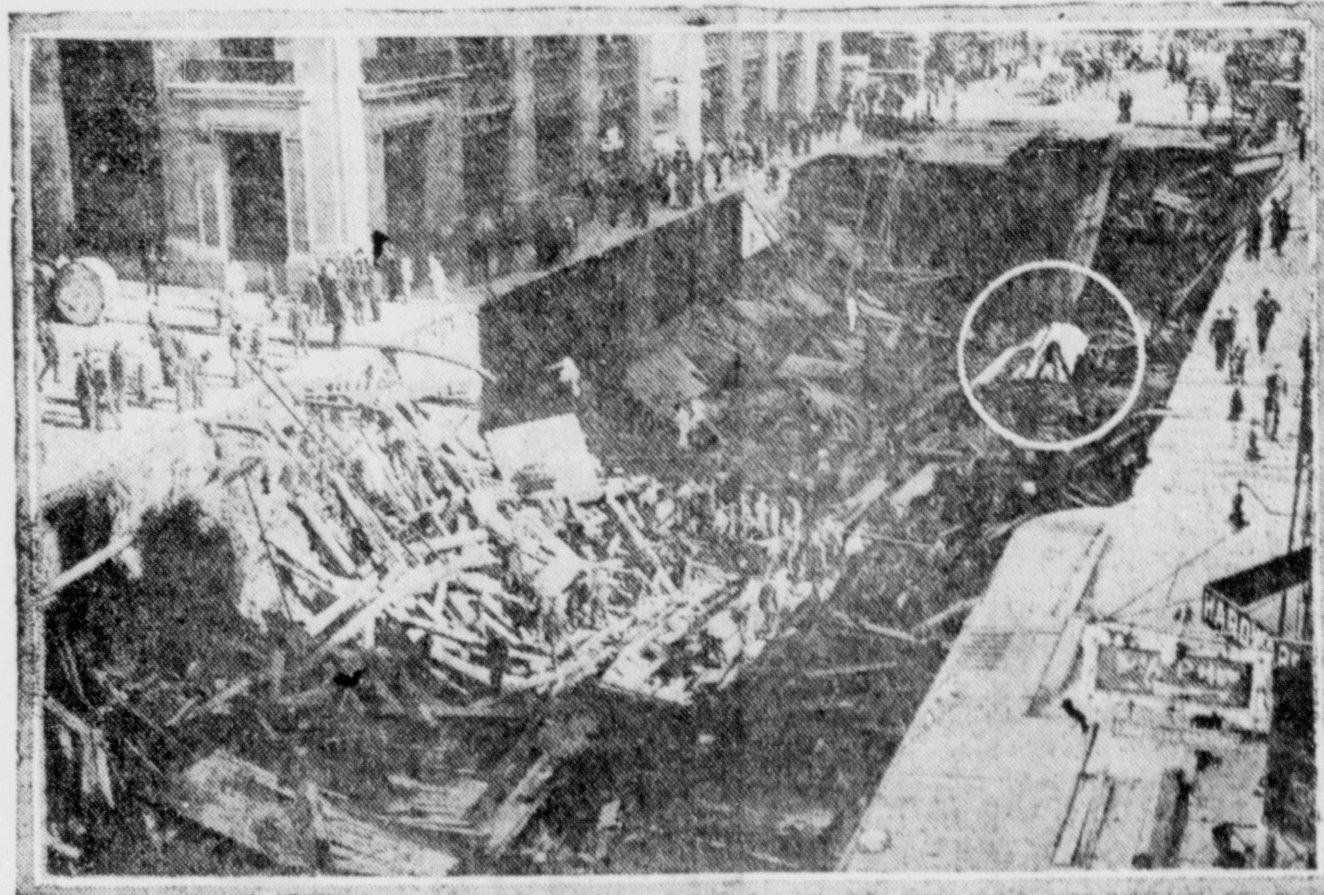
Capture German Positions Along Front of Five Miles.

London, Sept. 27.—The British forces fighting in France still hold all the ground they gained Saturday from the Germans except to the north of Loos, according to an official communication issued. The town of Loos is being held by the British, the quarries northwest of Hulluch have been captured and the French on the British right have been enabled to make further progress, the statement says.

British forces Saturday captured five miles of German trenches south of La Bassée canal and east of Vermelles, according to a report of Field Marshal Sir John French, made public by the British official press bureau.

In some instances the British troops penetrated the German positions for a distance of 4,000 yards.

Where Six Were Killed and Scores Hurt in New York Subway Explosion



Circle Marks Street Car Which Fell In This photograph was taken thirty minutes after the subway accident in New York where six persons were killed and scores hurt. Some 350 feet of the covering of the excavation for the new subway on Seventh avenue between Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth streets caved in following an explosion of dynamite.

As the roadway went down with a crash of splintered timbers, a loaded street car, a brewery wagon, a coal truck and numbers of pedestrians were carried with it. Beneath were about fifty workmen, some of whom were caught and killed by the debris.

Squads of firemen and workmen went to work in the wreckage in a systematic search for bodies and in a few hours found six.

BATTLE TIDE FAVORS ALLIES, CZAR HALTS GERMAN OFFENSIVE

(By United Press)

London, Sept. 27.—The tide of battle has turned in favor of the allies at every front, the greatest artillery smashes driving forward on the western front where the German losses are placed at 100,000. The czar has halted the German offensive in the east, and Gen. Von Hindenberg's attempts to reach Dvinsk and Riga have been repulsed. Rome claims fresh successes. Bulgaria, which two days ago was ready to join Germany, is hesitating. London newspapers are demanding moderation by the wildly enthusiastic British public. They say the allies undoubtedly suffered heavily during the smashes toward Lens and hinted that the sudden offensive is merely for the purpose of feeling the German strength, and may soon stop.

OCCUPY GERMAN POSITIONS

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 27.—French troops occupied several more German positions during a furious battle which is being waged in the Champagne region, said an official statement this afternoon. French attacks are being made in the entire Champagne region, and 300 German officers have been imprisoned. Under heavy counter attacks, the French are maintaining the newly acquired positions.

BALKANS ARE DEADLOCKED

(By United Press)

Rome, Sept. 27.—The Balkans are deadlocked. Bulgaria is awaiting further proposals from the allies, Serbia and Greece are awaiting word from Rumania. Dispatches from Sofia say that mobilization is rapidly proceeding but it is denied that troops are concentrated on the frontier of any of Bulgaria's neighbors.

PARIS IS ELECTRIFIED

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 27.—It is believed that brilliant successes have attended the allies on the western front, which will relieve Russia and have a wholesome effect on Bulgaria. Paris is electrified with the news from Artois and Champagne.

BULGARIANS ARE CALLED

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 27.—The Bulgarian legation has received word to recall all Bulgarian reservists between the ages of 18 to 43 years.

BULGARIA MUST EXPLAIN

(By United Press)

Rome, Sept. 27.—The newspapers assert that Rumania has requested Bulgaria to explain the mobilization of her army.

FAILED TO MAKE IMPRESSION

(By United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 27.—The heaviest allied blows on the western front has failed to make an impression on the German lines. After the officials announced Saturday that the allies had started the drive, great crowds gathered to listen to details. No feeling of apprehension has been expressed and Berlin has no fear.

GREEKS CALLED HOME

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 27.—The Greek legation announced this afternoon that all Greek reservists, in the classes of 1892 to 1911 would be called home, and the order will be published in all Greek newspapers. There are 55,000 Greek reservists in the United States.

GERMANS SINK WARSHIPS

(By United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 27.—An official statement says one British warship was sunk and two others damaged by the German coast batteries when the British bombarded Zeebrugge.

Dynamite Explosion Injures Fifteen

Uniontown, Pa., Sept. 27.—Fifteen were injured when they were thrown from their beds by an explosion which demolished the home of Tony Laisone at Republic. A tracing of dynamite was found which indicates that it was the explosive used.

Financiers Finish Loan Leave for Chicago

New York, Sept. 27.—Having come to terms regarding the half billion dollar loan to the allies, the allied commissioners have planned leaving for Chicago this afternoon to interest western financiers.

JULIUS H. BLOCK.

Former State Treasurer of Minnesota Is Dead.



BIG DAMAGE FROM FLOODS

Railways Crippled and Thousands of Acres of Corn Ruined.

Dubuque, Ia., Sept. 27.—With dozens of landslides, numerous bridges damaged and five miles of track washed out between Dubuque and Farley, Ia., the Chicago Great Western is detouring all trains over the Illinois Central as far as Dyerville. Even the Central experienced numerous landslides and a few short washouts.

This damage was caused by floods in the Maquoketa and Catfish creek valleys, caused by the fall of 4.70 inches of rain in fifteen hours.

Thousands of acres of corn just maturing is lying flat on the ground and wholly destroyed. Some stock was lost in the lowland pastures.

FORTY HAITIANS ARE KILLED IN BATTLE

Ten Americans Wounded in Repulsing Rebels.

Cape Haitien, Sept. 27.—In an attack by Haitian rebels on an American force, about two miles from Cape Haitien, forty Haitians were killed, Ten Americans were wounded. The rebels have refused to disarm and the Americans are marching on Haut du Cap, in the Plain of the North.

Washington, Sept. 27.—State department officials announce they were without any official announcement regarding the reported attack on an American force by Haitian rebels at Cape Haitien, as a result of which ten Americans were reported to have been wounded.

Officials said they expected some word of the affair from Rear Admiral Caperton, who is commanding the force of marines now doing duty on the island.

AUSTRIANS SUCCEED ON EASTERN FRONT

Repulse Russian Assault Near Nowo Alexinie.

Vienna, Sept. 27.—The following of ficial communication from general headquarters was issued:

"The Russians continued with a great display of forces their attempt to break our front near Nowo Alexinie. The battle, which lasted several days, has ended in complete defeat for the Russians. Where the enemy succeeded temporarily in entering one of our trenches he was repulsed and suffered heavy losses.

"Russian attacks, repeated ten times, south of Zalosce (Galician frontier) an enemy detachment, which broke its way through our damaged entanglements to our positions, was made prisoner.

"On the Ikwa-Styr front the activity of the enemy has slackened. Quiet prevails in East Galicia. The forces fighting in Lithuania have repulsed the enemy near Kraszyn, on the eastern bank of the upper Szeceara."

One Dead, Two Hurt by Auto.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Sept. 26.—Miss Marie Gillen, nineteen years old, is dead and two others are seriously injured as the result of an automobile turning over while the party was returning to this city from a dance near Newhall.

JULIUS H. BLOCK DIES AT DULUTH

Former Minnesota State Treasurer Passes Away.

VICTIM OF BRIGHTS DISEASE

Arriving in Gopher State With His Parents From Ohio in 1870 Mr. Block's Political Career Began With His Election as Sheriff of Nicollet County.

Duluth, Sept. 27.—Julius H. Block, former state treasurer, died of Bright's disease at St. Mary's hospital here.

Mr. Block is survived by his widow, a sister and two sons, Robert and Arthur B.

Mr. Block was born in Gallon, O., March 30, 1860. He came to Minnesota with his parents in 1870, settling in Le Sueur county. He afterward moved to Nicollet county and his political career began with his election as sheriff of Nicollet county. He was elected state treasurer on the Republican ticket in 1900 and was re-elected in 1902 and 1904. His term of service as treasurer was from January, 1901, to January, 1907.

Following his retirement from state office Block engaged in business. His last entrance into politics was as a candidate in 1914 for the Republican nomination for auditor against J. A. O. Preus and Henry Rines. Without an organization and without any campaign funds worth mentioning he polled more than 40,000 votes.

EDITORS SHOWING INTEREST

Minnesota "Newspaper Week" Promises to Be a Success.

St. Paul, Sept. 27.—Editors of the state are showing a desire to co-operate with the committee in charge of "newspaper week" which will be observed in Minnesota Oct. 10 to 16, according to John Klenitz, assistant immigration commissioner and editor of the Cambridge Independent.

The committee has prepared copy for all the papers telling about Minnesota's claims to greatness.

That the public has taken hold of the idea and will aid the newspaper men to boost Minnesota is evident from reports that have come to Mr. Klenitz.

One man said he would take 500 copies of his local paper that week. Requests for from fifty to one hundred copies of local papers are frequent.

It is the plan of the committee that these papers will be sent to people outside the state and in that way tell them what they can find in Minnesota.

IS VALUED AT \$675,651,665

Minnesota Tax Commission Figures on Personal Property.

St. Paul, Sept. 27.—The wealth represented by personal property in Minnesota aggregates \$675,651,665, according to figures given out by the Minnesota tax commission.

The assessed valuation of this amount of property is \$226,281,149. These figures may be increased by the equalizing of returns by the commission.

Personal property in Minnesota is divided into four classes and is assessed at certain percentages of the full value of the property. Class 1 consists of mined ore, assessed at 50 per cent; class 2, household goods, wearing apparel, etc., 25 per cent; class 3, live stock, agricultural products, stocks of manufacturers and merchants, implements and machinery, etc., 33 1/3 per cent. All other personal property is in class 4 and is assessed at 40 per cent. This class includes bank stock.

HOLDUP MEN SHOOT VICTIM

Minnesota Farmer Killed While Trying to Escape.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 27.—Shot when he attempted to escape from two robbers who, within one block of the business district of Barnesville, Minn., held up an automobile party of three returning to their farms, Peter Nitzorski, farmer living one mile west of Barnesville, died in Fergus Falls hospital.

After shooting Nitzorski the robbers at the point of guns commanded Louis Koelsing, driving the automobile, farmer and real estate man, and James Flalla, farm hand for Koelsing, to drive them one-half mile west of Barnesville. Shaking hands with Koelsing and Flalla and assuring them that their neighbor, Nitzorski, was not mortally wounded and ordering the two to return for the victim, the robbers escaped, going in a southerly direction.

The robbers, said to be young men, were dressed in black, with soft hats. They obtained no money or valuables.

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his bills



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MUNITY. IT IS CONVENIENT TO MAIL A CHECK FOR THE
EXACT AMOUNT. THAT CHECK IS A RECEIPT. BESIDE THAT
THE BANK IS HELPING YOU TO KEEP YOUR ACCOUNTS
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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours

Rain.
Sept. 25—Maximum 72, minimum
48. Rainfall 17 hundredths inches.
Sept. 26—Maximum 52, minimum
38.

The Bemidji Sentinel says: "They
were picking strawberries down at
Brainerd a few days ago. Hurry
along, Brainerd, we had ours all pick-
ed a month ago."

They are not that kind, and we
don't have to hurry to get them gath-
ered. The Everbearing variety will
give you the fruit in season and out.

President Wilson is reported to
have come over to the republican way
of thinking and will attempt to re-
vise the tariff in a manner that will
bring about results most needed at
the next session of congress. This
will not be gratifying to a great ma-
jority of his democratic admirers but
strenuous measures are sometimes
needed and even the application of
republican remedies by democratic
doctors may have to be resorted to.

Those Minnesotans who have been
paying tribute to Sears & Roebuck
for many years at last have the sat-
isfaction of knowing that some of
their money has come back to the
state in the shape of an inheritance
tax to the amount of \$23,738 from
holdings in redwood country, and pre-
vious to this the estate had paid \$39,-
966 on property owned by Sears in
Minneapolis. The total holdings in
Minnesota were in excess of \$2,000,-
000.

Four hundred and sixty miles of
experimental postroads of varying
types of construction are now being
built through the cooperation of the
Federal Government. It may be in-
teresting to note the selection of lo-
calities for this use of national funds.
Nearly 300 miles of these roads are
in the southern states. The south
which stands at the tail of the pro-
cession in front of the tax-gatherer's
window is at the head of the line be-
fore the paymaster's wicket.

The Bemidji Sentinel has the fol-
lowing telegraphic news item:

Attorney General Smith has filed
an order in the district court against
Peter Spina who is alleged to be con-
ducting a saloon in connection with
the Hotel Arlington. The attorney
general asks abatement.

The item is misleading in that it
is under a Brainerd date line and is
headed "Attorney general brings suit
against Brainerd man." The Arling-
ton hotel burned many years ago.

and there is no saloon being con-
ducted in this city—that anybody
knows of. Outside of this the item
is correct, as suit has been started
against Mr. Spina who operates a
hotel at Ironton.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Guy Pratt, of Merrifield, was in
Brainerd today.

For Spring Water Phone 254. tt
E. J. Hagberg of Aitkin, was in
the city today.

Rev. C. Hougstad came from Pine
River this noon.

Nettleton sells and rents houses. 92

Judge C. W. Stanton came from
Bemidji this noon.

F. A. Schrader, of Pequot, arrived
in Brainerd this noon.

Latest popular music at Folsom's,
220 South Broadway. 92tf

Mrs. M. J. Quam, of Walker, vis-
ited in Brainerd today.

The water and light board will
hold a meeting on Wednesday even-
ing.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long. 291tf

Miss Anna Carney is the guest at
St. Cloud of her sister, Mrs. George
L. Ley.

Miss Donna Lyeon, of Bemidji, is in
the city the guest of Mrs. H. G. In-
gersoll.

New and second hand sewing ma-
chines at D. M. Clark's. 90tf

Rain, starting to fall Sunday night,
and continued until Monday morning
at intervals.

Mrs. A. J. Loom has returned from
Hubert where she was a guest of
Mrs. H. F. Michael.

Rev. W. J. Smith has gone to Hew-
itt to assist in Sunday school work
and will be absent ten days.

Miss Gertrude Slipp, of Minneapolis
was in the city Sunday the guest of
her mother, Mrs. Marie L. Slipp.

Miss Jeanette Gibson and Miss Amy
Erickson went to Valley City, N. D.,
this noon to attend the normal school.

Why hire a chimney sweep when
Anti-Carbon does it cheaper. At D.
M. Clark's. 90tf

All M. B. A. members are requested
to be at lodge tomorrow, Tuesday,
evening, as important business will
come before the body. Lunch will
be served.

Joseph Riggs, of Minneapolis, lin-
otype operator on the Minneapolis
Journal, is in the city visiting his
father, Albert P. Riggs, and his sis-
ter, Mrs. Edward C. Thabes.

Own your home—pay rent, inter-
est, taxes a while then your rents. See
Nettleton. 92tf

Julius Deering has taken the con-
tract to furnish and install all the
sheet metal work on the new home
being erected by Carl Adams. Mr.
Deering is also installing many fur-
naces.

Attend the Royal Neighbor fair
at Odd Fellows hall Tuesday night
Sept. 28. All are invited. 9613

Herman Tischman, aged 38, and
single, a homesteader near Aitkin,
all died of dropsy in a Brainerd hospi-
tal and the body was today sent to the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Tischman of Menominee, Wis.

Since the institution of the wheel-
age tax, September 19, 1914, the
licenses on 162 cars have been paid
up to the beginning of August. City
Clerk Mahlum and City Treasurer A.
M. Opsahl report many making their
payment of the tax.

Trunks and leather traveling bags,
from \$3 to \$12. D. M. Clark & Co. 19tf

The Bemidji Pioneer says: "Rev.
W. Riemann of Brainerd is the new
pastor of the German Evangelical
Lutheran church, taking the place
vacated by Rev. A. Kurz of Wadena.
Rev. Mr. Riemann is making his
home at present in Brainerd."

The funeral of Mrs. August Lind
was held Saturday afternoon at 2
o'clock from the Swedish Lutheran
church. The floral offerings were
many and very beautiful, coming from
congregation and other friends. Rev.
Elof Carlson preached and Rev. C.
Hougstad also spoke.

Don't miss the Royal Neighbor
fair at Odd Fellows hall next Tues-
day evening. 9613

V. L. Hitch, B. C. McNamara and
G. Wilson were hunting Sunday at
Rice lake near Borden. It was said
Mr. Hitch had a great liking for lake
water, for he fell in when taking a
shot at a duck. Beyond getting wet
and getting a puncture coming home,
the party got nothing else.

The I. S. W. A. lodge will give a
basket social on Monday evening at
Trades and Labor hall. Members
and friends are cordially invited. 9712

Mrs. W. H. Mantor has returned
from Crookston where she visited

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player, is a fiery red-headed little
bantam about six years old, about
three feet high, and all boy—every
inch of him! He scraps. He un-
pires. He does all the things which
the American small boy is wont to
do, even to having a Big League Out-
fielder as his idol. "Little Sunset"
beats a much larger boy in a fight as
to which is to be the mascot of the
team.

In the unfolding of the story actual
views of a crack Pacific Coast league
team in action, will make a picture of
absorbing interest to the fans. Close-
up pictures of batters at the plate,
thrilling stops, the famous hook-slide
of the New York Giants and many
other authentic details make this the
most true to life picture of the na-
tional sport ever shown. In addition
to this, imagine this six year old boy
actor as the favorite pal of the big
outfielder. The big fellow's mother-
ing care of the lone youngster de-
spite his clumsy fingers, and stolid
slow moving brain, reveals a depth
of affection on the part of the strong
for the helpless, which will tug at
the heart strings of any man, woman,
boy or girl, irrespective of a
knowledge of baseball. The baseball
atmosphere serves but as a picture-
que background for the devoted ath-
lete and hero worshipping little boy,
whose one touch of nature makes the
whole world akin.

"The Busy Bees"

The "Busy Bees" of the Swedish
Lutheran church will give a supper
Friday evening, Oct. 1, at Walker
hall. A sale of fancy needlework and
other articles will also be held. "The
Busy Bees" suppers are renowned as
of the most satisfying kind.

Denver Entertains Editors

Denver, Colo., Sept. 27.—Editors of
the newspapers and farm journals of
the seven Rocky Mountain states and
visiting editors from all parts of the
country were guests of the Interna-
tional Soil-Products Exposition here
today. After they have been shown
the beauties of the exposition they
will be entertained at a banquet.
Many of these editors will make jour-
neys through the state visiting the
new Rocky Mountain National Park
and other places of scenic beauty.

TO OFFER BRIEFS

Oral Arguments in Iroquois Iron Co.
vs H. J. Kruse Deemed Un-
necessary by Judge

Duluth-Herald:—Federal Judge
Page Morris opened court at the
Federal building Friday. At the
suggestion of the attorneys in the
case of the Iroquois Iron company
against Henry A. Kruse and others,
arguments will not be made orally
and the evidence will be summed up
in briefs. The plaintiff was given
until Oct. 1 to submit briefs, the de-
fendant until Oct. 15 to submit an-
swer, and the plaintiff until Nov. 1
to reply again. Judge Morris re-
serves the right to call for oral argu-
ments if he deems it necessary.

Evidence in this case was obtained
during the July term of court here.
It is an action to recover a five-cent
royalty on the ore of Armour Mine
No. 2, Cuyuna range.

The Black Ostrich.

The black ostrich stands seven feet
high. Its speed is that of a horse, and
it can easily carry a man.

THREE YOUNG MEN KILLED

Automobile Struck by Fast Train at
Crossing.

Kenosha, Wis., Sept. 27.—Three
young men were killed when the auto-
mobile which they had taken without
the consent of the owner was struck
by a limited train on the Chicago and
Milwaukee Electric railway at a cross-
ing a mile and a half north of here.
The young men were Anthony Cza-
rowski, twenty-three years old; Fred
G. Pratt, twenty-two, and Frederick
Nietten, twenty-three years old.

Czarowski was employed by a brew-
ing company and had taken the car
of the manager without permission
to take his companions for a ride.

He was speeding over a smooth
road and the train was making fifty
miles an hour when the crash took
place.

ABERDEEN HUNTER KILLED

Slain by Shotgun When Duckboat
Starts to Tip Over.

Aberdeen, S. D., Sept. 27.—Maurice
B. Lamont, one of Aberdeen's promi-
nent young business men and society
leaders, was killed while duck hunt-
ing on Sand lake.

With Dr. Harry Wells he was cross-
ing the lake in a duckboat with two
loaded shotguns by his side. The
boat started to tip over, when Lamont
rose and one of the guns was dis-
charged, the load striking him in the
head. Lamont is survived by his
widow and a young baby.

**BULGARIA DENIES
BEING AGGRESSIVE.**

London, Sept. 27.—The sit-
uation in the Balkans and the
intentions of Bulgaria are still
surrounded with considerable
mystery. Bulgaria, which has
been definitely placed on the
side of the central powers, as
the result of recent news from
Sofia, officially informed the
entente allies that her mobili-
zation had been ordered in the
national interests and that it
had not the slightest aggres-
sive character.

KILLED AT SUMMER HOME

Milwaukee Couple Murdered and
House Set on Fire.

Milwaukee, Sept. 27.—Captain Robert
Mueller, former teller of the First
National bank, Milwaukee, and his
wife, with skulls crushed, were found
among the smoldering ruins of their
summer cottage at Puckaway lake,
by volunteer firemen from Marquette,
a nearby village. Their bodies had
been barely touched by the blazing
timbers.

A Milwaukee friend of the Muellers
said that Captain Mueller's murder
may have been for revenge, for he had
been having much trouble with poach-
ers who invaded his property shooting
game.

Naturally.
"Where have you been?" "To the
cemetery." "Any one dead?" "Sure.
Every one of them."—Exchange.

Many Complaints Heard

This summer many persons are
complaining of headaches, lame backs,
rheumatism, biliousness and of be-
ing "always tired." Aches, pains
and ill caused by kidneys not doing
their work yield quickly to Foley
Kidney Pills. They help elimina-
tion, give sound sleep and make you
feel better. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—
Adv't. mwf

Did the Old Man Good

Geo. W. Clough, of Prentiss, Miss.,
is seventy-seven years old and had
trouble with his kidneys for many
years. He writes that Foley Kidney
Pills did him much good. He used
many remedies, but this is the only
one that ever helped him. No man
young or old, can afford to neglect
symptoms of kidney trouble. H. P.
Dunn, druggist.—Adv't. mwf

WANTS

Notices under this head will be
charged for at the rate of one cent a
word for the first insertion and one half
a cent a word for each subsequent inser-
tion. Strictly cash in advance, but ad-
vs will be taken for less than fifteen

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Good girl for general
housework. Apply Mrs. O. Clyde
Parker, 620 N. 4th St., or phone
592. 97tf

WANTED—Good girl for general
housework. \$4.00 a week. Apply to
Mrs. E. H. Bergh, 706 N. 4th St.
Telephone 198-L. 981f

FOR RENT.

STEAM heated flat for rent. Call at
212 1/2 Seventh Street South. 9712

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished
rooms, 722 South Broadway. 381f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in
modern home at 220 North Broad-
way. 93tf

FOR RENT—Steam heated, furnish-
ed rooms for light housekeeping at
Pearce block. 93tf

FOR RENT—House of six rooms at
103 Juniper Street. W. D. McKay,
403 2nd St. N. 86tf

5 ROOM house, north Broadway. 5
rooms near Catholic church. 4
rooms near Lowell school. 9
rooms north 9th St. Nettleton. 921f

FOR RENT—Rooms partly furnished
for light housekeeping at reason-
able prices at 307 South 7th St.
Phone 135-R. 971f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—One roadster.
South Auto Co. 9714p

FOR SALE—Cheap, bicycle, used one
month. 561 Oak St. N. E. 9613p

FOR SALE—Bungalow, at a bar-
gain. Call 221 Kingwood St. 9216p

FOR SALE—A cabinet Victrola with
20 records. Apply 608 Laurel St. 891f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Alaczar range
cost \$65, used year. 311 North
Third. 971f

FOR SALE—By Oct. 29, large coal
heater and range in good condition
655 Holly St. 9812

FOR SALE—Team of horses, delivery
team and harness. Weight 2100
pounds. C. M. Patek & Son. 931f

FOR SALE—20 good strong colonies
of bees. Enquire of W. W. Mich-
ael, 712 North 7th St. Phone 287. 931f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two winter
coats in good condition. One all
wool coat with genuine blue wolf
collar, and the other black imita-
tion baby lamb. Call at the Iron
Exchange hotel. 971f

FOR SALE—Single comb white Leg-
horn, Barred Plymouth Rocks, best
of winter layers, one and two years
old, also spring cocker. 1002
South Short street, Brainerd, Hul-
da Hardow. 21wp

MISCELLANEOUS

Dressmaking at 824 South Sixth
Street. 89112

WANTED—Sewing at 46 Bluff Ave.
N., upstairs. 9316p

LOST—Elks tooth charm with short
chain. Return to Dispatch office. 961f

LOST—Small grey pasteboard box
containing five kodak plate hold-
ers. Return to Skagra Drug Co.
Reward. 9812

WANTED—A few extra jobs of win-
dow washing, office or house clean-
ing; furnaces attended. Prices
reasonable, work guaranteed. See
porter at First National Bank bar-
ber shop. 9316

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DEMONSTRATION FARM OF COUNTY

Movement on Foot to Utilize County Farm as Such and to Station County Agent There

FARM BRINGS SMALL RENTAL

Leasing System Does Not Pay Two Per Cent on the Value of the Farm, Says Nettleton

By unanimous action of the Chamber of Commerce at its last meeting it was voted to recommend to the county commissioners that they abolish the plan of renting the county farm as heretofore practiced and instead have it converted into a demonstration farm to be known as the Crow Wing county demonstration farm.

A committee was appointed to report the action of the Chamber and present the subject to the county commissioners. The committee was composed of P. B. Nettleton, chairman, Col. Freeman Thorp, F. H. Gruenhagen, Bert Sabin, Con Faupel, D. C. Henderson and A. J. Gafke.

"We are opposed to the leasing system," said Mr. Nettleton, "because it does not pay. The farm is deteriorating in value. This and the depreciation offsets to a large extent the sum paid for its rental. It does not pay two per cent on the value of the farm."

There is a movement fostered to make the demonstration farm the headquarters of the county agent, A. J. Gafke. He is paid \$1,000 a year by the county and if in charge of the farm, can earn a lot of that amount back for the county.

PHOTO COLOR WORK

Miss Marie A. Canan Introduces Novelty in Brainerd and Will Have Display at Studio

Photo color work of the latest design and method will be displayed shortly at the studio of Miss Marie A. Canan. In panel and other sizes will be shown photographs of Postmaster H. P. Dunn, Mrs. W. S. McClenahan and little son, Billy, Kathleen Early, Miss Marie Stein and the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cocks.

These are Miss Canan's own photographs which have been colored by a noted water color artist of Chicago of the Blum art shop.

For Mrs. Herman

A surprise party was given for Mrs. Anna C. Herman Thursday at the home of Mrs. Omer Liners. She was presented with a Rebekah pin and gold thimble. Thirty-five ladies were present. A delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Lyonsals.

Notice to All Vehicle Owners

Unless all vehicles pay their vehicle license on or before the 5th day of October, 1915, they will be dealt with according to law. Warrants will be issued after said date for every license not paid.

HENRY SQUIRES,

Advt. 9712 Chief of Police.

MAY DISCONTINUE TWO TRAINS

W. H. Gemmell of the M. & I. States Sunday Night and Monday Morning Trains May be Taken Off

W. H. Gemmell, of this city, general manager of the Minnesota & International railway company, was in Bemidji and gave out this interview regarding passenger train service.

"Passenger business has been falling off during the past few weeks," he said in regard to conditions. "If the business continues to decrease the Minnesota & International will be obliged to reduce the service by taking off the south bound Sunday night and the north bound Monday morning trains during the winter. If they are taken off, of course they will be re-installed in the spring.

"Conditions through the country are showing but little improvement, especially railroad conditions, and there is but little improvement looked for at the present."

Mr. Gemmell today stated that the passenger travel north of Brainerd has shown a steady falling off as in previous years all summer, and as the winter months approach, the decrease is becoming more noticeable, such being the case, some curtailment of train service is absolutely necessary. To begin with, the Sunday night southbound and Monday morning northbound passenger trains will be withdrawn sometime in October. The exact date will be announced later.

FIRST AID TO A HOUSEWIFE

Julius Deering Patents a Clip which Attaches to the End of a Wash Line Pole

PREVENTS POLE FROM FALLING

Obviates Such Disasters as a Wash Line Dipping to the Ground When Pole Drops

Julius Deering, the tinner at 207 South Fifth street, has invented a first aid to a busy housewife on a wash day and that is a patent steel clip which bolts to the end of the wash line pole, the clip enclosing the wash line and thus preventing the pole from falling and the wash line with its precious load of wash from dragging in the dirt or mud.

In all the history of washing days there is no catastrophe to equal that of a pole falling and submerging the wash in the dirt, thus necessitating the entire re-washing of the clothes.

Mr. Deering's clip obviates all this trouble and it sells for a very nominal price too.

Frances Willard Birthday

The W. C. T. U. of Minnesota, has set apart Sept. 28th, the birthday of Frances Willard, as an occasion to bring before the people of the state constitutional prohibition. A meeting for this purpose will be held in this city on Tuesday evening, Sept. 28, at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church. Good speakers and good music will be in attendance, and no collection will be taken. A good attendance is desired.

TO PRESENT HIS PORTRAIT TO CITY

Mrs. Jennie E. Barber Gives Oil Portrait of Her Father, L. P. White, to City of Brainerd

TO BE HUNG IN COUNCIL ROOMS

Mr. White Was Actively Identified in the Material Development of City From Earliest Days

Mrs. Jennie E. Barber, Minneapolis, daughter of the late L. P. White, has presented to the city of Brainerd an oil painting of her father and the portrait will be accepted by the city council at the next regular meeting and the picture hung in the council room of the new city hall.

L. P. White came to Brainerd late in the fall of 1870 as the resident agent of the Lake Superior & Puget Sound Co. He established his office at the place where his home was built. The Lake Superior & Puget Sound Co. gave the land where the Episcopal church is now located. His office was in the southeast corner of block 74 within a block of the church. Thomas Canfield, president of the land company, was also an Episcopalian.

Mr. White was the first chairman of the vestry board of the Episcopal church in Brainerd and was ever after until death an active member of the church. The church was built in 1871.

Mr. White was of an energetic disposition and had always taken a lively interest in the material development of Brainerd. He was a member of the first council upon the organization of Brainerd into a city, which first election was held in November, 1872, at the time of the presidential election when Grant was returned president. The first council convened January 11, 1873. The officers at that time were Mayor E. H. Bly, Aldermen L. P. White, M. Tuttle, W. S. Heathcote, Wm. Murphy, Anton Mahlum and F. X. Goulett. Alderman White was temporary chairman and was elected president and M. Tuttle vice president. C. B. Sleeper was the village attorney and P. H. Trudell the city recorder.

The greatest activity of Mr. White and his agency in selling lots took place in the boom year of 1872. It was a banner year for the company he represented, a large number of lots being sold at remunerative figure.

Then came a depression, Sept. 1873, the time of the Jay Cooke failure. Many old timers removed to Bismarck and farther west.

In 1877 things recuperated, when the rails were placed on the St. Paul branch between Brainerd and Sauk Rapids, the grade having been made in 1872, but the rail laying had been deferred on account of Cooke, who was the financial agent of the management of the Northern Pacific railroad company. The main line from Duluth came to Brainerd in the spring of 1871, the rail crew arriving here in May of that year.

Marriage Licenses

Sept. 22—William J. Peterson and Tracy Kappel.

Sept. 23—Marshall H. Young and Elizabeth Saunders.

SWITCHBOARDS HERE

Minnesota Telephone Co. Has These and Cables on the Ground Ready for Installation

The Minnesota Telephone Co. has its switchboards and all cables for the completion of its Brainerd plant on the ground here. An expert from the automatic company is here installing switchboards in the Walverman block.

Scott Dodge of St. Paul, heads a crew of 12 who are busy stringing cables. Carpenters are at work rearranging the rooms and offices of the company in the Walverman block. The automatic people have six men at work. Altogether the Minnesota Telephone Co. is giving employment to twenty men in Brainerd.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Met This Morning in the Y. M. C. A. Rooms—Program of Papers and Discussions

The Brainerd Ministerial association met this morning in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and listened to a paper read by Rev. E. H. Brand of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd. It was a most interesting article on the subject of "Christianity and the Social Problem." After the paper an informal discussion followed, each one of the ten ministers present taking part.

The program committee through its secretary reported the making of the program for the next three months. A special feature will be a monthly devotional meeting with an exposition of Scripture by some local minister. Next Monday will be the first of these devotional meetings and Rev. W. J. Lowrie will make the exposition.

At the conclusion of the meeting all the ministers present adjourned to West's restaurant and had dinner together. Rev. C. H. S. Koch was the guest of honor. He leaves this week for his mission field in India. He has made many friends among the clergy who regret his going.

The secretary of the association is Rev. A. B. Colvin, of the Swedish Baptist church. All communications for the association concerning matters which should properly come before the clergy should be addressed to him.

Two new members were elected to membership this morning, Rev. E. H. Brand and Rev. Stacy of the Episcopal church. The next meeting will be the coming Monday at 10:30 o'clock. All the ministers of the city are invited.

AT THE ART EXHIBIT

Many Visit the Seelye Residence to View the Thos. R. Congdon Etchings on Display

Through the kindness of Mrs. Anna Nevers, there was exhibited this afternoon and evening at the residence of R. W. Seelye, 303 N. Fourth street, the collection of etchings in sepia and color of her friend, Thomas R. Congdon of St. Jean du Dolight, Finisterre, France.

One of his most important works and a striking example of the modern highkeyed fashion is "The Last Kiss of the Sun." This picture needs some little word of explanation. It was painted in the autumn of 1914 at St. Jean-du-Dolight, Finisterre, at 8 o'clock in the evening (as witness the clock in the church tower), and it shows the quiet Breton village on the hillside just as the sun sinks below the horizon.

The point of view was halfway up the opposite hillside. The artist, writing to Mr. Gill, says the Springfield, Mass., "Republican," observes that "it may interest the faithful to know that the finger of St. John the Baptist is said to be resting in the sacristy," and from that legendary notion comes the name of the village, "Saint John's Finger."

The picture is an excellent specimen of the open-eyed and open-minded tendency of the reasonable school of impressionism. The effect of the picture is one of vivid charm; the light, the color, the sky, the spectacular glory of the "last kiss" are fascinating, and it is one of the pictures that might well be bought by some good citizen to give to the future art gallery of the city.

Interest in Mr. Congdon's etchings has grown and Mrs. Nevers was prevailed upon to again exhibit the pictures on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

This afternoon many ladies and gentlemen called and the "Little Men's and Women's Art Club" of the city viewed the pictures and Mrs. Nevers gave a short lecture setting forth the history or legend connected with each etching shown. The pictures are shown to advantage in the large parlor of the Seelye home.

Long Time Since Moving Day. Fulham palace has been the country house of the bishop of London for 800 years.

LOVDahl DRUG STORE IS BURNED

Riverton, Minn., Sept. 26—The one-story frame store building of the Lovdahl Drug company burned shortly before 12 o'clock last night. The building, valued at \$1,600, and the stock of drugs and fixtures, valued at \$2,500, were destroyed. An overheated stove is believed to have started the blaze.

Ed. Lovdahl, owner of the store, was attending a meeting of the board of education at Crosby when the fire occurred. He said today that he will rebuild the store next spring.

Insurance policies for \$1,800 had been issued on the property. These also were burned.

GAME LICENSES

More Game Licenses at \$1 Per Issued by County Auditor C. W. Mahlum

Additional game licenses have been issued by County Auditor C. W. Mahlum as follows:

Brainerd—A. A. Arnold, G. P. Stein, Ingbert Satre, W. H. Cleary, Ole Satre, John L. Frederick, Edw. Meyers, F. E. Little, Fred Parks, C. Forster, A. Lund, J. Melroy, W. A. Eastling, L. O. Kelsen, C. G. Rau, F. W. Sleeper, F. G. Hall, O. Hanson, Walter Dickson, Henry Rasmussen, Henry Rosko, Adolph Kodka, Elmer Tollefson, G. H. Warner, F. A. Moerke, Albert Anderson, Edward Crowley, Robert Nelson, W. P. Biegling, Stanley Joska, Geo. O. Whitney, W. J. Garvey, Frank Walker, Albert Holmblad, Wilbert Smith, A. A. Gieriet, J. Crean, Bert Peterson, Dr. Walter Courtney, Ed. Anderson, Albin Nelson, Burton Orne, Dave Robinson, G. S. Swanson, H. A. Swanson, Leonard Anderson, Mrs. F. S. Walker, Chas. Roberts, Jos. A. Weber, Herman Muetzel, A. E. Evans, Arthur Peterson, C. E. Roney, Ed. W. Wise, Grover Peterson, Ole Warlof, C. L. Burnett, George Weaver, D. A. Peterson, H. W. Kitchin, D. A. Haggard, Andrew Hill, C. J. Duffey, Ed. E. Keeley, H. A. Lidenberg, M. H. Nelson.

Fort Ripley—Paul Zeng, Fred Kelly, J. P. Saunders, Henry DeRosier, Thomas DeRosier, John Reichert.

Merrifield—Albert Smedeo, Thomas L. Smedes, Quinn Parker, G. R. Grant.

Pequot—F. A. Tanzer, James W. Stirlwalt, J. B. Fitch.

Hubert—E. W. Kaley.

Jenkins—Martin Satre, S. C. Nelder, Albert Stedel.

Nokay Lake—Fred Bock, Leroy Bock, Geo. W. Lusso, Joseph Goller, John Pointon.

Long Lake—Chas. Narveson.

Deerwood—J. A. Oberg, C. C. Adams, B. Magoffin, Jr., Charlotte M. Magoffin, Gust Ringhand, T. F. Cole, Paul M. Hale, J. S. Johnson, R. R. Graham, Herbert Erickson, P. Carlson, Chas. W. Potts, W. C. McCoy, H. L. Searle, G. J. Sheridan, F. L. Freeman, Christ E. Skone, J. E. Johnson, P. A. Gough, Wm. Trapukka, Joe Scauelci, A. J. Olson, G. A. Oberg, Mrs. M. J. Moore, Wm. Elmore, F. J. Winquist.

Cross Lake—James Bennett.

Oreland—Louis Skallman.

Manganese—Howard Dickerson, James Huff.

Cuyuna—Geo. H. Ray, Thos. Trays, Ernest Peterson, Frank Woodmas.

Ossipee—W. R. Mills.

Riverton—Louis Stotcia.

TO TEST STATE LAW

Attorney General Brings Action in District Court to Bar Indian Country Liquor Sales

Of the suit against Peter Spina, concerning the conducting of a saloon in Indian territory, the St. Paul Pioneer Press states and covers the story as given in the Brainerd Dispatch Saturday, Sept. 25:

"Application of the state law to help bar the sale of liquor from the 'Indian country' is the object of a suit just started in Crow Wing county by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith. It is a test case which may have far-reaching consequences.

The attorney general has asked the district court to enjoin Peter Spina, proprietor of a licensed saloon at Ironton, from selling liquor, claiming that his license is void because Ironton is within the limits of the 1855 Indian treaty.

Federal officers have not yet extended the "lid" to the Cuyuna range territory. The state's petition is based on a clause of the state law which says that no license shall be issued for the sale of liquor "in any place where such sale is forbidden." The attorney general takes the ground that the Indian treaty, which is binding on the state, forbids sale in the treaty limits, and therefore the Ironton license is void and the Spina saloon has no better status than a blind pig.

If the state's contention holds good in court, it will be up to state and county authorities to close up saloons at Hibbing and Chisholm, on the Mesabie range; at Deerwood and other Cuyuna range points, and at other places not yet reached by agents of the Indian bureau.

"We are simply seeking to test the question," said Attorney General Smith today, "whether state licenses issued in the limits of the treaty are legally issued; or whether they are void."

Gas Men in Convention

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Three-Cornered Gusset

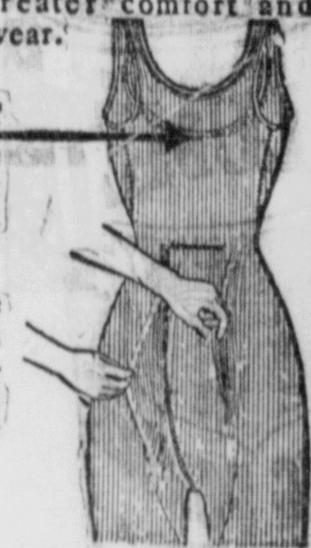
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Patent Seat

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REAFFIRMS HER PROTEST

Austria Objects to Large Shipments of War Munitions.

Amsterdam, Sept. 27.—The Austro-Hungarian government, according to an official telegram received here from Vienna, has, in reply to the American note of Aug. 12, regarding the manufacture of ammunition in the United States, reiterated the position taken in its protest of June 29.

The reply affirms that Austria-Hungary never intended to imply that it expected Washington would forbid American citizens to do a normal traffic in war material with the enemies of the dual monarchy, but solely protested against the economic life of the United States being made subservient to the production of war material on the greatest possible scale, whereby the United States became militarized.

SIR ERNEST CASSEL SAILS

Refuses to Discuss Efforts to Secure Foreign Loan.

New York, Sept. 27.—Sir Ernest Cassel, former member of the British privy council, who arrived here on the same ship with the Anglo-French loan commissioners, sailed for Liverpool on the American liner Philadelphia. He declined to say anything regarding the efforts now being made to secure a large foreign loan.

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BERLIN ADMITS LOSING GROUND

Germans Suffer Severely South-west of Lille.

MAKING COUNTER ATTACKS

Official Statement Says British and French Offensive, for Which Months of Preparation Had Been Made, is Proceeding Without Bringing Assaults Much Nearer Their Aim.

Berlin, Sept. 27.—A repulse of a German division near Loos, northwest of Lens, with considerable casualties and the loss of materials, is admitted in the German official communication, made public here.

The evacuation of an advanced German position north of Perthes, between Rheims and the Argonne forest, also is admitted by the war office. The communication says:

"The battles in continuation of the British and French offensive, which had been prepared for months, have progressed without bringing our assaults considerably nearer to their aim."

"On the coast also British warships have attempted to interfere by their fire, especially on Zeebrugge, but without result."

"In the sector of Ypres the enemy suffered heavy losses and had no success."

"Southwest of Lille the enemy succeeded in repulsing one of our divisions near Loos from its advance line of defense to its second line. Naturally, we had considerable losses, including materials of all kinds inclosed between the two positions. A counter attack is progressing favorably."

Voluntarily Evacuate Village.

"We voluntarily evacuated the ruins of the village of Souchez. Other attacks on this front were easily repulsed at several points, with the heaviest of losses for the enemy."

"The Thirty-ninth regiment of landwehr especially distinguished itself. This is the same regiment which sustained the principal attack north of Neuville in May."

"In the struggle between Rheims and the Argonne, north of Perthes, one German division was obliged to evacuate its advanced position by a bombardment for seventy hours and retired to its second position, situated from two to three kilometers (1.25 to 1.86 miles) behind the first."

"However, all attempts to break through failed."

"The battle was especially stubborn north of Mourmelon Le Grande and close to the Western Argonne. Here our brave troops made the enemy suffer the heaviest losses. The North German and Hessian landwehr fought excellently."

"In the air battles our aviators achieved successes. One of the war planes shot down an aeroplane west of Cambrai. South of Metz, Lieutenant Boelke, while on a trial flight, shot down a Voisin aeroplane. Flight Sergeant Boehm went up to repulse an attack on Freuburg by three French aeroplanes. He shot down two of them, only a third escaping."

ARE VERY HARD PRESSED

Germans Rushing Every Available Man to the Front.

London, Sept. 27.—A dispatch from Rotterdam, dated Sunday afternoon, says:

"Whatever may be the final issue of events now in hand along the western front it can at least be said that the Germans are hard pressed. Every available man in Belgium is being flung into the defense. Troops, newly arrived, are being rushed to the firing line without an hour's rest, while villages and frontier posts are being denuded of their guards in an endeavor to meet the allies' onslaught."

"The German losses are described as terrible. The roar of cannon can be heard ceaselessly at places well inside the Zealand frontier and an endless procession of German wounded is pouring into towns and villages behind the enemy's lines in Belgium."

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If you made mistakes yesterday, forget them. No strength was ever built upon continued regret. Today is the result of yesterday, but it is more important to remember that tomorrow is the result of today.

FRENCH OFFICIAL REPORT

Says Allied Forces Still Continue to Gain Ground.

Paris, Sept. 27.—On the western front the British and French have captured in two days more than 20,000 unrounded prisoners, according to the French official communication issued.

French troops penetrated the German lines along a front of fifteen miles and for a depth at some places of two and one-half miles, the announcement says.

New progress by the French troops to the north of Arras also is reported, Souchez being stormed and captured.

In Champagne the allied forces still continue to gain ground.

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Bulgaria Making No Secret of Resentment

BY J. W. T. MASON
(Written for the United Press)

New York, Sept. 27.—Extension of the war area in the European Balkan in a manner favorable to the Teutons, is indicated in the crisis precipitated by the mobilization of the Bulgarian armies. Issuance of mobilization orders followed shortly after the presentation to Czar Ferdinand of the German Iron cross, and the cessation of Dedengatch railway by Turkey to Bulgaria. Furthermore, the Bulgarian cabinet is strongly pro-German. Bulgaria is making no secret of her resentment for the remainder of the Balkan states that leagued themselves against her two years ago, and Serbia has failed to make the concessions demanded of her.

By gaining Bulgaria, on her side, Germany will have to cross but 35 miles of enemy soil to get a free and unrestricted sweep into Constantinople through friendly soil. Not only could she thus assist in holding the Dardanelles, but she could start a new and really serious offensive against Egypt. If the British has held the landings she made on the Mediterranean side near Bulgaria, and the Germans attempt to press through there, Bulgaria may be devastated by the war as was Belgium.

By escaping from the vicinity of Vilna, and reinforcing other Russian armies to the northeast, Russia has in a manner turned the tide of her misfortunes along the eastern front.

By providing for taxes amounting to \$500,000,000 England has just made her first serious attempt to pay for the war by taxation, rather than borrowed money. Vast as this amount is, it will little more than pay for the interest on present and prospective loans.

The key to the Balkan situation is at Bucharest, Roumania probably has it in her power to send Bulgaria into the war or to curb the expansionist desires of Czar Ferdinand. If the present situation in the Balkans is a miniature reproduction of the crisis that excited among the larger powers in July, 1914, Roumania's role greatly resembles that played last year by the United Kingdom.

When the danger of war became acute after Austria's ultimatum to Serbia, France and Russia urged Great Britain definitely to announce her stand. President Poincaré of France, even addressed a personal message to King George urging that a declaration be made of British intentions. The argument advanced and suggested was that if the British government announced it would side with France and Russia, under all circumstances, the Teutonic powers would not enter the war.

Great Britain, however, was unable to give a quick, unqualified assurance of any kind. Roumania is holding in similar fashion now. Bulgaria is mobilizing and so is Greece, but the Roumanian government is remaining quiescent. Bulgaria apparently is proceeding on the assumption that Roumania will not attack her and if Roumania clings to her neutrality it is not probable Greece for the moment will move to Serbia's assistance. The Bulgars will not be gambling too heavily with fate if they take the chance of Roumania's neutrality. The Roumanians all but guaranteed their entrance into the war in company with Italy, only to back out at last moment when Russia began her retreat. The present is a far less auspicious moment for a Roumania declaration of war against the Teutons than was last May. Since the Bucharest government exhibited hesitancy then, indecision can be looked for now. Roumania has shown no favor to the Austro-Germans and has been criticised by the Teutons for refusing to permit the shipment over her railways of ammunition destined for Turkey. Nevertheless it must be a very serious problem for Roumania whether under present military conditions it will be possible for the Roumanian army to conquer any of the neighboring Austro-Hungarian provinces. The possibility of taking Bessarabia from Russia is an alternative. By biding her time, weighing chances, Roumania is in danger of being left to choose after her peace influence has gone when the war zone completely encircles her.

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